

I do not feel quite clear about
the Dasypteron vaginatum of Blaauw.
You know that Curtis's Distich.
is a Reinaria. Mr Blaauw
has his O. vaginatum in a diff
section from R. distichum. Is neither
of his the Reinaria? Why has he
the two?

De Candolle writes that he
has sent the cast of his father's
herb adnum to me at Cambridge
prepaying charges to sea-post,
I had announced it to you. It
is for the Statue, & is presented to
it by DC.

I shall be writing very often
now. — Ever Yours

Abney

Kew. July 26, 1877

My dear Natrue

Only to-day did I post
a hastily-written letter to
you; and before my letter
can have left Kew came
your two, of 14th & 15th inst.
How bad it is to answer letters
quickly!

1. As to letter from Dall. Let
it slide. I don't believe any-
thing will be, or need be, given to
the Alaska lists. But if
they are my Mrs. is in
or was in, one of the boxes of
the pigeon-holes in the case just
behind where I used to sit.
As to putting together other things
— say Nuttall, turn it over
to Nuttall & let him put it
over it — to much effect, but it
will all rest till I get home.

Yours of July 15.

Brachia bartschiana, Nell.
I shall buy & bring it; but I
shall not review it, unless it is
presented. If the Godman &
Salvin knew what I had done
to help Hornaday, they would
doubtless present it. But I
shall not tell them - now,
probably, will Hornaday.

Roy Soc. Cat. I will
not all after vol. VIII, & send
via Smithsonian.

Mina, So it was your
writing to Masters, which brought
out that paper concerning giving in
by Barker. "Poor Material"
Last winter, before Curtis's Specimens
were in, I showed Barker that
the Hornaday had full evidence of
Mina magica being diabolical.

Barker's easy indifference
to this Barker sometimes,
greatly; a sort of "Don't care",
"no matter" way.

Conn. I have written to -
day directing him to send to
you a postal order for
\$8, for Bost. Calif. vol. 2,
and to include in it the
amount he owes Greene, if
he has counted Greene's plants.
It used to wire to Greene &
 settle the matter by direct
correspondence. I give him
Greene's address. - which is
*Berkeley, California.

My little straighten up of
one section of Blennocatis, to
help Barker in Bost. Mag., is
too long for his use at once -
& I will send it to Gov. Gwinde,

I believe this is all at
present

* not "Oakland"